Retired Peace Officer Corps (RPOC)

The County has long recognized the tremendous value in utilizing volunteers to assist in the many services and programs we would otherwise not be able to deliver or deliver as effectively to our residents. One Department that tremendously benefits from volunteers is our Sheriff's Department, particularly during local emergencies and natural disasters. Retired peace officers would be a valuable addition to the Sheriff's pool of volunteers because of their law enforcement skills and experience. The establishment of a Retired Peace Officer Corps (RPOC) would provide the Sheriff the ability to enhance his existing volunteer program and overall effectiveness during local emergencies and natural disasters.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT the Board of Supervisors approve the creation of a Retired Peace Officer Corp, as more fully described in the Citizens' Economy and Efficiency Commission's July 28 proposal, to enhance the Sheriff's ability to respond to disasters and local emergencies by utilizing experienced and highly skilled retired peace officers.

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